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Sent: 5/6/2021 8:13:07 PM
To: Alpern, Michael [Alpern.Michael@epa.gov]
Subject: FW: Draft response for review: Congressman Ted Lieu-Inquiry regarding DDT Dumping off Coast of Catalina
Attachments: Blumenfeld 042621.pdf

Hi Mike,

Below are my edits to SEMD's response for your review. I can only imagine how busy you are, but if you could review this asap that would be amazing as I just received a call from Lieu's office requesting an update. I don't love the idea of sending Sec. Blumenfeld's letter along with the response – it seems impersonal – so I tried to incorporate the relevant bits of the letter into the response, but of course I defer to your expertise!

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

Thank you!

Julia

From: Chesnutt, John <Chesnutt.John@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, May 5, 2021 5:10 PM
To: Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>; Gill, Sonam <Gill.Sonam@epa.gov>
Cc: Ty, Fatima <Ty.Fatima@epa.gov>; Huang, Judy <Huang.Judy@epa.gov>; Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Draft response for review: Congressman Ted Lieu-Inquiry regarding DDT Dumping off Coast of Catalina

Julia, I also just spoke with John Lyons and Enrique about my draft response below. They approve it and ask that you only include our attached letter to Jared, not his incoming letter.

Thanks, John

From: Chesnutt, John <Chesnutt.John@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, May 5, 2021 12:55 PM
To: Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
Cc: Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>; Gill, Sonam <Gill.Sonam@epa.gov>; Huang, Judy

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John, please review my below draft response to the inquiry from Cong. Lieu's office.

Thanks, John

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

From: Giarmoleo, Julia

Sent: Tuesday, May 4, 2021 3:54 PM

To: Chesnutt, John <Chesnutt.John@epa.gov>; Huang, Judy <Huang.Judy@epa.gov>

Cc: Ho, Karly <ho.karly@epa.gov>

Subject: FW: Congressman Ted Lieu-Inquiry regarding DDT Dumping off Coast of Catalina

Good afternoon!

I received the below inquiry from Rep. Lieu's office regarding the NOAA-sponsored Scripps Institution of Oceanography survey, and what the results of it were. How would you like me to respond to this inquiry?

Thank you!

Julia

From: Apodaca, Joey <Joey.Apodaca@mail.house.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, May 4, 2021 2:33 PM

To: Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Congressman Ted Lieu-Inquiry regarding DDT Dumping off Coast of Catalina

Hello Again Julia,

Following up on the DDT dumping issue, has the multi-agency meeting mentioned below to discuss the data gathered by the NOAA-sponsored Scripps Institution of Oceanography survey transpired? Or are we still waiting on additional data?

Thanks in advance for any information you can share.

Sincerely,

Joey Apodaca

Congressman Ted Lieu (CA-33)

Los Angeles Office: 323-651-1040

From: Apodaca, Joey

Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2021 2:15 PM

To: Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Congressman Ted Lieu-Inquiry regarding DDT Dumping off Coast of Catalina

Hello Julia,

I just realized I never thanked you for providing EPA's update below. As you might guess, Congressman Lieu is very interested in the status of the matter. Appreciate any further updates you can provide regarding the mapping and interagency meeting.

Thanks again!

Joey Apodaca
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